Community Involvement and Outreach Initiative

The primary objective of this component is to establish methods for linking members of a community, who are directly affected by adverse environmental conditions, with training organizations. Some of these concerns may deal with general awareness level training, community right to know, general life skills training, environmental restoration training and emergency response training. Additionally, there should be a concentrated effort to identify possible exposures to community workers and residents, promote community strategies for prevention and intervention activities related to work injuries, and assist to facilitate other important sustainable approaches to job training that ensure worker health and safety is a top priority. An example of the Community Involvement and Outreach Initiative is the Superfund Jobs Training Initiative.